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Re: Microsoft Antitrust Settlement

Dear Sirs:

I urge you to finalize the Antitrust Settlement with Microsoft Corporation. The settlement seems fair and reasonable, and further litigation would serve only the interests of the company's competitors and the political purposes of the nine State Attorneys General who oppose it. Microsoft has brought stability to an industry that was confused and chaotic, and because its products provide good value at affordable prices, consumers have benefitted by buying them. It would not be proper to allow Microsoft's competition to use the courts as a marketing tool. Please settle this case in accordance with the agreement as it stands.

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